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App. No. : 10/056,971  
Filed : January 25, 2002  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT in the above-identified application, in response to the Office Communication of October 14, 2003 and in order to comply with current 37 CFR §1.121 requirements.

(X) An extension of time to respond for 3 month(s) is hereby requested.

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## CLAIMS AS FILED

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Independent Claims	2	—	9	= 0 ×	\$42	= \$0
If application has been amended to contain multiple dependent claim(s), then add					\$140	= \$0
Time Extension Fee						\$475
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$475	

(X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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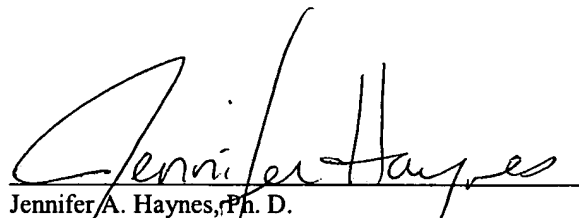
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 7, 2003, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 19 of this paper.

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